

Practice Questions

Language Skills

1. **Magna animalia amamus.**

A) You love B) They love C) She loves D) We love

2. **Claudius et Iulius ex silva ambulant.**

A) out of B) into C) around D) through

3. **Multae villae erant pulchrae.**

A) was B) were C) are D) is

4. **The astronauts watched the moon.**

A) lunam B) luna C) lunarum D) lunae

5. **Quid vides?**

A) How B) What C) Who D) Where

6. **In templis deorum sunt multae statuae.**

A) toward the gods B) with the gods C) of the gods D) from the gods

7. **Dea aquam mihi dabat.**

A) to me B) of me C) from me D) with me

8. **Mea soror fabulam bene narrabat.**

A) quick B) well C) clearly D) badly

Class work

9. Tuus frater trans rivum natabit.

A) will swim B) swims C) was swimming D) swam

10. Picturae in villa Romana erant _____.

A) pulchrarum B) pulchram C) pulchrae D) pulchris

11. Hodie in agro laboras.

A) you are working B) he is working C) they are working D) we are working

12. Quid Marcus ad scholam portat?

A) Where B) Who C) How many D) What

13. Cur filius in horto erat?

A) are B) will be C) was D) will be

14. Discipulus stilum et _____ habet.

A) tabula B) tabulam C) tabulae D) tabulis

15. In via sunt _____ villae.

A) magnas B) magnarum C) magnis D) magnae

Vocabulary and Derivation

16. The abbreviation e.g. means

A) for example B) and the rest C) that is D) note well

Class work

17. Equine refers to a

- A) sheep B) horse C) bird D) dog

18. If you behave in a circumspect manner, you are

- A) clever and tricky B) bold and brave C) watchful and careful D) fearless and firm

19. Which of the following expressions means “after death”?

- A) post scriptum B) post meridiem C) post mortem D) post bellum

Culture and Mythology

20. Who is the ruler of the Olympians?

- A) Pluto B) Neptune C) Jupiter D) Bacchus

21. The year 1995 in Roman numerals is:

- A) MCMXLV B) MMCV C) MCMXCV D) MDCCLV

22. Venus was the goddess of

- A) war and wisdom B) trade and commerce C) oceans and rivers D) love and beauty

23. Why would a Roman go to the Colosseum?

- A) to pray to the gods B) to buy food C) to take a bath D) to watch gladiatorial games

Derivatives, Culture and Mythology

24. Horticulture is the cultivation of

- A) plants B) fish C) animals D) insects

Class work

25. The Roman numeral for 100 is

A) D B) L C) X D) C

26. Oculist and binocular come from the Latin word which means

A) eye B) ear C) forehead D) neck

27. Romans would go to the _____ to buy and sell goods and to listen to political speeches.

A) Templum B) Colosseum C) Tiber D) Forum

28. Pluto stole Proserpina and took her to his kingdom

A) on Mount Olympus B) in the Mediterranean Sea C) in the underworld D) in the sky

29. The Roman numeral for 500 is

A) D B) L C) X D) C

30. Collar and column come from the Latin word which means

A) eye B) ear C) forehead D) neck

31. Romans would go to the _____ to swim, bathe, and relax.

A) Latrinae B) Thermae C) Tabernae D) Forum

32. The Roman goddess of the home and fireplace.

A) Hera B) Hestia C) Vesta D) Minerva

Duo Romani Fratres

Two brothers have an adventure in Rome.

- 1 Duo fratres, Claudius et Iulius, ambulant in via
 - 2 ad Forum. In Foro pater Claudii et Iuli filios
 - 3 exspectat. Pater in Curia laborat quod senator Curia = the senate house
 - 4 est. Pueri templa et viros in via spectant.
 - 5 Subito Iulius clamat, "Videsne, Claudii, magnum
 - 6 leonem?" "Video leonem," dicit Claudius. "Ego
 - 7 territus sum quod leo ex Colosseo fugit." Subito fugit = has fled
 - 8 quattuor servi in viam currunt et clamant,
 - 9 "Ubi est leo?" Claudius et Iulius servis dicunt,
 - 10 "Leo est ante templum Iovis." Servi ad templum Iovis = of Jupiter
 - 11 currunt et leonem capiunt. Nunc leo iterum est capiunt = capture
 - 12 in Colosseo. Itaque fratres ad Curiam ambulant
 - 13 et patri fabulam de leone narrant. de - about
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33. Where are the boys (lines 1 and 2)?

- A) in the Forum B) on the road C) at the senate house D) in the field

34. Why are the brothers going to the Forum (lines 2 and 3)?

- A) to meet their friends B) to see the Colosseum C) to meet their father D) to work in the senate house

35. Ubi pater laborat?

- A) in via B) in Colosseo C) post leonem D) in Curia

36. Why is Claudius afraid (lines 6 and 7)?

A) he cannot find his brother B) his father is angry C) he sees a lion D) it is getting dark

37. Cur servi in viam currunt?

A) to capture the lion B) to look at the Colosseum C) to find the brothers D) to see the senators

38. Ubi est leo (line 10)?

A) in the Colosseum B) outside the Forum C) near the senate house D) in front of the temple

39. What happens to the lion?

A) he is killed by the slaves B) the slaves take him back to the Colosseum C) he chases the boys D) he escapes to Africa

40. Quis fabulam de leone audit (lines 12 and 13)?

A) pater B) fratres C) servi D) leo